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EQUIPMENT BETWEEN ADJACENT LOCATIONS

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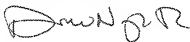
### RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 2, 2006, Applicants are re-submitting the amended drawings that were erroneously omitted from their prior filing in response to the Office Action dated December 16, 2005.

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